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ARVEST OF OLD PEOPLE CONTINUES

DEATH TAKES A NUMBER OF
AGED AND RESPECTED CIT-
IZENS.

James A. Abbott

Mr. James A. Abbott died Tuesday evening, October 30 at his home in Louisa, in the 90th year of his age.

On last Saturday he was stricken with uremic poisoning. His health has been feeble for quite a while although he was not confined to his bed much of the time.

The funeral took place from the M. E. church at 1:30 p. m. on Thursday Rev. A. C. Bostwick the pastor, conducted the services. Interment in Hill cemetery followed.

A wife and two sons and three daughters survive. They are John Charley, Mrs. Josephine Rice, Mrs. Cora McGrath of Maryland, Mrs. C. J. Carey.

Mr. Abbott was one of our most highly esteemed citizens. He was a local preacher in the M. E. Church and had been active in church work ever since he located in Louisa, which was soon after the Civil war. He identified himself with all good civil movements and his influence was thrown on the side of right at all times. He was prominent in politics and had been honored by his party at different times. He served a term as postmaster at Louisa.

Mr. Abbott was a man of commanding figure, and of strong personal ability. He had many warm friends and his genial presence will be greatly missed from the community. His funeral was largely attended.

The services were appropriate and touching. Rev. Bostwick paid beautiful and deserved tribute to the departed and words of genuine comfort to the bereaved family and friends. The choir rendered good special music, adding to the impressiveness of the service.

The pall bearers were A. O. Carter, W. J. Roberts, Lou Hutchinson, C. P. Bromley, R. C. McClure, L. T. McClure.

Wm. Layne

Mr. Wm. Layne, aged 66 years, died last Friday at his home on Lick creek a few miles from Louisa. He had been in ill health, for about two years.

Mr. Layne was a good citizen. He was an industrious man and was a carpenter by trade. He had done some very fine work on a number of buildings in Louisa. He is survived by two sons, Elmer and Geo. Layne, and two daughters, Lizzie and Martha. His wife died about two years ago. Mrs. Green Meek of Huntington, is also one of the daughters.

The funeral service took place Saturday morning from the home and was largely attended. A number came from this city. Among these were members of the M. E. congregation of which Mr. Layne had long been a loyal member.

A more upright and worthy citizen than Mr. Layne was not to be found. His quiet, nocturnal life gained and held the respect of his neighbors. He has gone to his reward.

Albert Preston

Albert Preston died Wednesday at his home near the mouth of Georges creek. He was 84 years old and one of the county's best citizens. He was one of several brothers who died in that section of the county. All were honest, substantial citizens, and their passing away is a real loss to their county.

MRS. LEWIS PRICHARD
DIED IN CHARLESTON

Mrs. Sarah Belle Prichard, wife of Dr. Lewis Prichard, passed away early Tuesday morning at her home in Charlestown, W. Va., after several months' illness. She is survived by her husband and two sons, A. M. Prichard, of Charleston, and Fred Prichard of Huntington.

The funeral services were held on Wednesday afternoon.

THE PRICE OF WAR.

A certain Liberty Loan committee compiled and assembled the latest statistics on what might be called the cost of war. They find that men killed to date in the battle struggle number almost 10,000,000; men permanently disabled, 12,000,000. The total of all the wounded is 23,500,000. The prisoners are 4,250,000. There are 60,000,000 men fighting in the world today. The total money expenditure so far has been \$108,000,000,000, while the property loss alone exceeds \$6,000,000,000.

MEETING OF WOMEN OF CHURCH.

The Woman's Misionary Society of the M. E. Church South, met on Tuesday afternoon the ladies of the church met and sewed at the home of Mrs. Ella Ilava beginning their work for the Christmas bazaar.

WOMEN APPOINTED LEADERS
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PROPHET TELLS OF WAR'S END

German Monk in 1701 Fixed Three Years and Five Months of Strife.

AMERICAN ENTRY FORETOLD

Document Discovered in Old Monastery in Mecklenburg Describes "Wagons Without Horses" and "Flery Dragons of the Air."

Copenhagen.—In the razing of the old monastery of the Holy Ghost in Wismar, Mecklenburg, an old Bible was found which contained a remarkable prophecy regarding the present world war. It was written in 1701 by one of the monks on parchment that is now yellow and seared with age. It is now on exhibition in a glass case in the city hall of Wismar. So much publicity has been given to the prophecy in the papers of Germany that thousands have flocked to Wismar to see it.

The prophecy not only gives the cause of the war, but also indicates the countries engaged. Up to the present it has been amazingly accurate. It does not exactly state that Germany will be victorious, but indicates how long the war will last, when the decisive battle will be fought, and where and when peace will come, and adds that Germany will continue to exist as a power for many years. A translation of the writing on the parchment is as follows:

"When Malignity and Hatred Rule"

"Lord, have mercy on thy people despite the fact that they are turning more and more away from thee; that they are destroying thy monasteries and cloisters and forgetting thee. A time will come in Europe when these people will feel the weight of thy hand, when malignity and hatred will rule. It will be at a time when the papal seat will be vacant, and the conflagration will come as the result of the murder of prince. Seven nations will rise against the eagle with one head and the eagle with two heads. The birds will defend themselves furiously and viciously with their talons, and their wings will protect their peoples. A prince from their very midst, a sovereign who mounts his horse from the wrong side, will be encompassed by a wall of enemies. His slogan will be 'Onward with God! The Almighty God will lead him from victory to victory and many will meet their death."

"There will be wagons without horses, and fiery dragons will fly through the air dropping fire and sulphur and destroying cities and villages. The people will turn to God. The terrible war will last three years and five months. The time will come when food can neither be sold nor bought, and bread will be carefully distributed. The seas will be filled with blood and men will lie in wait under the waves for their prey."

America's Entry Foretold.

Here follows a reference to America, which was in those times often referred to as the "country of the seven stars."

"The people of the Seven Stars will attack the ring of steel and suddenly fall upon the bearded nation in the rear and rend it in twain. The whole of the lower Rhine will tremble, but nevertheless will endure to the end.

"The land to the west will be one vast desolation, and the land in the ocean will, with its king, be crushed and suffer all the pangs of hunger. The land of the bearded people will still endure for a long time to come, and following the war the world will be united in one great brotherhood.

"The victory will carry a cross, and between four small cities and four steeples of equal height the decisive battle will be fought. Between two linden trees the victor will fall upon his knees before his army, lift his hands to heaven and thank God. Following this all ungodliness will disappear; the indecent dances that prevailed before the war will be seen no more, and God will reign in church, state and family."

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MOST DECORATED WOMAN



SEVEN KITTENS GET JOBS IN CONGRESS

Washington.—A job has been found for Congressman Austin's secretary's cat's seven kittens. They will be welcome down on the floor below in Representative Hulbert's office. Mice are overrunning the place. They are as bold as bulldogs. Frank McEwan, Mr. Hulbert's secretary, says they climb on the big leather chairs and watch him derisively as he tries to work. The other night the mice ate up all the free seeds that Mr. Hulbert had for distribution among his constituents. That is not much of a disaster, in view of the fact that his district in New York is one of the most thickly populated in the greater city and the people wouldn't know what to do with the seeds if he sent them on. What is of importance, though, is that the mice also ate up a bass-relief model of the East river, Hell Gate and Ward's Island, being attracted by the excellent quality of glue in the paper mache. Hell Gate is a most precious thing in the eyes of this congressman.

MELT HEIRLOOMS FOR ARMY

Women From All Over Country Give Up Keepsakes to Send Gifts to Soldiers.

New York.—Old gold and silver contributed by women in all parts of the United States to aid in carrying on the work of the National Special Aid Society, melted, sold for \$2,400.

The gold and silver represented many heirlooms from old families, from Maine to California. Many of them, in sending in their contributions, said that the articles contributed were of great sentimental value.

This money will be used to buy necessities and luxuries, too, for American soldiers in military camps urgently needed. The society received a request from one of these camps for 300 sweaters, 300 pairs of socks, 300 pairs of gloves, photographs and other camp essentials.

DEDUCTIVE TEST IS FAILURE

Scientific Method Adopted by New York Detectives Admittedly Inconclusive.

New York.—The first real test of the new method evolved by the New York detective bureau for proving crime solely through chemical, scientific and analytical deductions resulted in failure in the court of general sessions. An indictment of Vincenzo de Stefano for ten-year-old Tillie Brown's murder was dismissed when chemists of the central testing laboratories admitted that they had been "too positive" in their statements before the grand jury that they had discovered infinitesimal fragments of the strap used in strangling the child on the blade of a knife found in De Stefano's possession.

URGES CHANNEL TUNNEL

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STRONG CONTRAST IN OUR GENERALS

General Pershing Is Quick on Trigger; Sibert a Tireless Worker.

EACH HAS BIG MAN'S JOB

Commander in Chief Forces Things Along at Top Speed, While Sibert Watches Details and Insists on Accuracy.

Field Headquarters, American Expeditionary Forces, France.—Two men, both efficient, both trained in the same school, both in the same line of service, probably never offered stronger contrast than Gen. John J. Pershing, commander of the expedition, and Maj. Gen. William L. Sibert, division commander. Working as a team, whipping our troops into shape for the grueling struggle awaiting them, it would be hard to find a better combination. Each has a heroic-sized man's job and finding a great army in these days offers many man-sized jobs, writes Junius B. Wood in the Chicago News.

Pershing is of the quick-on-the-trigger style.

Sibert will be sure that the powder is dry.

Pershing is of the dashing type, nervous, always on the go, like a surcharged battery, stirring everybody he comes in contact with, forcing them along at top speed. He tells what he wants. He is up to the staff he has picked to see that it is carried out. He'll be sure to know mad they'll know.

If it isn't. He gives a sharp glance at a company at attention, picks out a man whose eyes are wandering, tells the company commander what is wrong—a few crisp, pointed words which are not forgotten—and the commander knows how to bring the others up to standard. He also realizes that he had better. Pershing fought Moros, administered provinces when an iron hand was necessary, rides day and night in the field and in the office holds his conferences through the day and reads reports most of the night.

Sibert a Methodical Worker.

Sibert is deliberate, methodical, a tireless worker, watching every detail, insistent that reports of his under officers be accurate, comprehensive, covering every angle, of the type that is persistent and sure. His voice is seldom raised above its quiet, even tone. He walks through the village street from his headquarters to his mess each day at the same gait and the same hour. It may be a momentous incident that will delay him a minute, or prevent him from being back at his desk at the minute he calculated on. When he inspects a company he stops in front of each man. His comments to the commanding officer are fatherly in tone. Sibert helped build the Panama canal. He is an engineer with a training for accuracy that figures down to thousandths of inches.

Once when General Pershing was making his flying trip of inspection on his first visit to the American army zone, a smile twitched the corners of his stern lips. A sergeant, one of the old-time "non-coms" who was drilling a platoon, mostly gawking, raw recruits. Out of the corner of his eye he saw the general and a following of officers striding across the field in his direction.

"Attention!" he shouted in stern-toned tones and the men made their best efforts to assume a military pose.

"Brace up, yer standin' like a lot of old wimmen," growled the sergeant. In a tone meant only for his men. The general, half a dozen strides ahead of the rest of the party, caught it. His iron gray mustache could not cover the smile. He did not criticize that company. Instead he veered off to another with a less exacting drill sergeant.

Pershing Was Interested.

On the same field a sergeant who had won honors in bayonet fencing was drilling a company in the art. General Pershing was interested. He wanted to see that. It appealed to his love for action.

A colonel of marines who accompanied him carried a natty bamboo cane. That was just what the general needed. He took the cane. Then to the edification of the officers, also such of the men as dared glance up from their work, the general gave a demonstration of fencing, the life and death style of battlefield. With the little cane in his right hand he jabbed, inched, plunged, jumped forward, skinned sideways, each thrust impaling an imaginary foe.

"Vicious, vigorous, that's what's wanted," he said. "Get the man and on to the next one. There'll not be time in a battle to practice the fine points of fencing."

General Sibert says that two-thirds

of the time of the staff officers of any expedition, if it is run properly, is devoted to planning for the comfort and health of the men. He can tell you how each company is billeted, how many cases of sickness there are among the expedition, what proportion of their increased pay the men are saving and how the expedition is equipped for fighting.

Sibert had taken young Ferris and eight other boys of his troop on a hike. The boys prevailed on him to permit them to get into the water, and he joined them.

BARRELS

To the people who have contracted with us for sorghum, we now have your barrels ready for delivery. If your wagon should be in take them out now. We will make no charge at present for the barrels and you can pay when sorghum is delivered. We are adopting this method so that there will be no shortage of barrels.

We have a large amount of barrels to supply our customers but for your convenience, take them out in ample time.

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Can sell any man in the market for a farm, ranging from 40 acres up to 473 acres in one farm, and in price from \$1500 up to \$25,000. Farms of all descriptions, and if in the market, come and see it and we will fill the bill for you. If I fail to sell you I offer a nice present that you will appreciate.

All farms on the hard road that leads to the Ironton market, good schools, and churches of all denominations. It will pay you to see me before buying, if in the market.

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CITY OF LOUISA

Democrat.

Mayor—Augustus Snyder.
Police Judge—H. B. Hewitt
City Council—W. E. Queen
G. R. Lewis
John M. MooreRepublicans
Police Judge—G. W. Hale.
City Council—
H. E. Evans
Dr. T. D. Burgess
O. C. AtkinsDemocrats
SENATOR—
V. B. Shortridge.....REPRESENTATIVE—
C. W. Meyers.....COUNTY JUDGE—
R. A. Stone.....COUNTY ATTORNEY—
G. W. Castle.....COUNTY CLERK—
H. G. Thompson.....SHERIFF—
W. M. Taylor.....JAILER—
J. C. Short.....ASSESSOR—
Roiland Hutchinson.....County Surveyor—
Lake Wallace.

Washington City's saloons closed permanently Wednesday night.

Vote for your home man V. B. Shortridge, for the State Senate.

Her. C. W. Myers is against the liquor traffic and if elected to the Legislature from Boyd and Lawrence will be found fighting on that side.

As a member of the majority party in the Senate Hon. V. B. Shortridge can and will serve this district to the best advantage.

News that American troops had fired their first shot of the war on the western front took the place of honor in the London papers Sunday.

German and Austrian forces have driven the Italian army back from the ground gained in the victories of the summer and the situation looks quite unfavorable there. The Allies are rushing help to the front.

An amendment to the constitution of Kentucky will be voted on next Tuesday, to permit telephone companies to buy competing lines. It will appear in the third column on the ballot. This is all right if the Legislature can safeguard the public as to rates and service. There is no greater nuisance than two telephone systems in the same town or city, unless it be one alleged system that renders nothing but rotten service and charges exorbitant rates. Having tried both, the writer is competent to testify that either is an abomination. It seems that we ought to be able to trust the Legislature to take care of these points. If so, the constitution should be amended so the Legislature can act upon it.

the Senate.

Vote for Shortridge and let's get this great question settled right in Kentucky as a result of the work of the Legislature. The Senate is where the liquor people do their hardest work. They fight to elect liquor majority in that branch of the Legislature every time and all the defeats met by the dry people have been there. This is why it is so important to elect Shortridge this time.

Several battalions of United States soldiers have gone into the trenches in France to relieve weary French troops. They are in a comparatively quiet section of the trenches, but are exchanging shots with the Germans opposite their lines. One American has been slightly wounded. The French troops gave the Americans a great reception when they went into the trenches.

A GERMAN-BORN AMERICAN SPEAKS OF GERMANY

Every once in a while some distinguished citizen of German ancestry, but naturalized as an American, speaks in burning words that should be listened to the ears of all, native-born or naturalized.

Professor Max F. Meyer of the University of Missouri, recently the recipient of an invitation to join one of the organizations with high-sounding names whose real object is to paralyze the fighting arm of the American government in replying that the invitation was an insult said:

"I am thoroughly familiar with the present organization of the German social body and with its culmination, the present German government. I am much more familiar with it than any of your committee. I have lived in Germany 25 years. I was born there. I was educated there. I spent 19 years of my life in German educational institutions from the kindergarten to the research laboratory."

Professor Meyer cites these things to show that he knows Germany not from the outside, but from the inside, as a land in which the military class is the governing class. Stating these facts Professor Meyer then utters this solemn warning to disloyalists in this country:

"If Germany wins this war, 50 years hence its government will rule the American people. I do not want my American children to be put under this yoke which I escaped by coming to America. My hope is that the German government will be overthrown and that the German nation, my relatives and friends, will enter an international organization for peace and justice."

"But the German government, this far from being a future, can be overthrown only by raising armies not by sitting around your council tables working for the repeal of conscription laws."

CUR COUNTY ROADS.

Buchanan, Ky., Oct. 29.—Some time ago an article appeared in your paper about the condition of the county road from Buchanan to Louisa being so bad one could not travel it. Help has been asked time after time on cut veris, but no help was given by the county. Now fellow citizens it is time to look after this matter as our commanding election and select officers who will look after our roads where needed. Mr. George Castle for county attorney and Richard Stone for Judge are both progressive road men, as their photo in show. It is time for voters to wake up on the road question. A VOICE.

TAYLOR FOR SHERIFF.

Will Taylor is not a professional office seeker. This is the first time he or any of his family has asked for an office. He is a farmer and live stock grower. As Sheriff he will make a record of which the county will be proud. His office will be well kept and there will be no losses. The Sheriff's office has cost the taxpayers more money in the last fifty years than all others combined because of the losses. Vote for Taylor and be sure of getting a sober, high class official. CITIZEN.

Unlawful To Promise Places

Because of certain reports being circulated I desire to say that I have not made any promises of deputyships. In the event of my election as Sheriff of Lawrence county and shall not do so. It is a positive violation of the law to do this and a heavy penalty attaches. Such promises amount to bribery and the law has been so construed. To use a deputyship in this way is going to get anyone into trouble who does it.

If elected I shall try very hard to do the right thing in this as well as in all other matters. I take this opportunity of saying that I fully appreciate the support being given me and hope to soon have the chance to express my thanks personally to each of you.

Very truly, W. M. TAYLOR.

NOTICE.

In order to set at rest a rumor being circulated by some inscrupulous persons to the effect that I have recently been drinking again, I desire to say this story is absolutely false and without foundation. I have drunk not without foundation. I have drunk not since March 10 or 12, 1916, nearly 20 months.

R. A. STONE

Subscribed and sworn to before me by R. A. Stone this, the 29th day of October 1917.

DEEP HOLE.

Rev. Conley will fill his regular appointment at this place Sunday afternoon and Sunday night November 4.

T. H. Burchett made a business trip to Louisville Tuesday.

Mrs. Sadie Diamond was shopping at Yatesville Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Clark made a business trip to London Saturday.

Mr. Delong and son, Oliver, who have been visiting in Martin county, have returned home with a fine drove of cattle.

Mrs. Ella Clark and children were calling on the Misses Delong Sunday evening.

Mrs. Claudio Taylor was in Louisville last week having dental work done.

Dallas Clark who has been very ill with typhoid fever is improving.

Several from this place attended Sunday school at Yatesville Sunday.

Miss Hazel Stewart of Yatesville is visiting Mrs. Susan Roberts this week.

Murphy Clark made a business trip to Louisville Monday.

O. I. C. U.

FLUX AND REFLUX OF GERMAN ARMY

English Writer Shows How Forces Were Swung to and Fro.

WEST TOTAL NEAR MAXIMUM

On Sept. 1 the Fighting Troops There, He Figures, Reached 1,369 Battalions—Roumania's Entry Causes Swift Change.

With the French Armies.—The flux and reflux of the German forces on the western and eastern fronts, together with their rapid augmentation on either side whenever occasion called for an increase of effectives, have been now clearly set forth. The figures given refer to the various phases of the war, starting with the invasion of Belgium in August, 1914, going right through the allied offensives of 1915 and 1916, the German operations before Verdun, the movements on the Russian and Roumanian frontiers, and concluding with the position as it was on September 1 this year.

It will be seen that in 1914 the Germans threw onto the western front, including the army that forced its way through Belgium, 1,100 battalions of infantry; while on the Russian front, from which they did not await much activity, they left only 322 battalions.

By September 1 this year these totals had been enormously raised, for on that date they had on the Franco-Belgian-British front no fewer than 1,369 battalions, while on the eastern front they had in position 965 battalions. Thus at the present moment they are employing 2,334 battalions on both fronts, whereas at the opening of hostilities only 1,512 were engaged.

From One Side to Other.

A glance at the totals of the battalions in line on the two fronts at different periods of the war is interesting, as showing how the principal effort of the Germans has swung from time to time from one side to the other.

The attack on Belgium and France absorbed the attention of the German staff when war broke out in August, 1914, and the Russian front was left to their effort in the West. They brought up their effectives to a higher total there, but at the same time they were becoming rather anxious about the Russian front and therefore added to the number of their troops on that side, making the position as follows:

Divisions of 4 Regts. Battalions

On the western front.....965 1,100

On the eastern front.....322 322

The battle of the Yser in November, 1914, caused the Germans to intensify their effort in the West. They brought up their effectives to a higher total there, but at the same time they were becoming rather anxious about the Russian front and therefore added to the number of their troops on that side, making the position as follows:

Divisions of 4 Regts. Battalions

On the western front.....104 1,282

On the eastern front.....57 78

Then came the Hussar offensive, which compelled Germany to look round in order to find more troops to meet it. She therefore reduced her effectives somewhat on the western front and sent them eastward, at the same time bringing some more battalions from the interior to add to those on the Russian frontier. In September, 1915, by which time the maximum of the German effort had been reached on that side, the position stood:

Divisions of 8 or 4 Regts. Battalions

On the western front.....103 1,200

On the eastern front.....67 78

To begin with, I am a farmer and stock raiser. I always lived on a farm all my life. And as this district is a farming district chiefly, I feel that I know its needs and I pledge myself if elected to do all I can to secure legislation for the benefit of the people of this district.

I am a Democrat in politics and my name appears on the Democratic ticket, but I think the questions before us now in this State are more important than politics and members of all parties who stand for the things I advocate. I pledge myself, if elected, to represent all the people regardless of politics. You should vote not for personal favor, but for the man who stands for what you think is right. I desire to set out some of the things I believe are right and which if I am elected, I will try to have made the law of our State.

I am in favor of every farmer having one dog free from taxation.

I favor the State furnishing school books free to all children attending the common schools.

I am for good roads and for Government and State aid in building roads.

I am the man that asked Congress through our Representative, W. J. Fields, to appropriate money to help build roads through the country and succeeded in getting it done.

I favor the submission of the liquor question to the voters of the State in the form of a "Bome Dry" amendment to the Constitution. And I am not only in favor of the submission of the question to the people, but I am in favor of absolutely prohibiting the manufacture and sale of intoxicating liquors in the State and will, if elected to the Senate, vote to submit the question at once to the people and will support the "dry" cause at all times whether I am elected to the Senate or not.

I am reliably informed that my opponent for this office, Dr. Morris of Greenup, is refusing to commit himself and say where he stands on the liquor question. He says it is not the time to talk. This attitude of his coupled with the fact that I have not been able to get the promise of a vote from a so-called man or from any voter interested in the liquor business, and further with the report that the whiskey men of Ashland and Catlettsburg helped him to get his nomination, convinced me that the doctor cannot have an "understanding" with the liquor men and you know what that means to the "dry" cause.

I want you to know where I stand on these questions and that I will appreciate your help in this election, and that is why I have trespassed upon your time in asking you to read this letter.

Hoping you will give this Senatorial race careful consideration and that you will conclude to help me and the things I stand for. I am,

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WHAT HE STANDS FOR

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FORCES

Glenwood, Ky., October 29, 1917.

To Each and Every Voter:

I am a candidate for State Senator and I wish I could see you and talk to you, but I find it impossible for me to see all whom I want to see during the campaign. So, I take this method of saying to you what I would say if I had the pleasure of shaking hands with you and talking to you face to face.

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Tours truly and faithfully,

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BIG SANDY NEWS

Friday, November 2, 1917.



Advice.

The whole world hates a lazy stiff,
Don't sit around and sigh;
You can't achieve a triumph if
You're not there with the "trif." —Luke McLaurie.

Mrs. J. B. Riffe was quite sick the first of the week.

The family of F. T. D. Wallace, Jr., has returned from Buchanan.

FOR SALE—175 shocks of corn feed. See H. L. TELLERY, Louisa, Ky.

Mrs. Mattie Dixon has taken rooms at Mrs. Wilkinson's on Lock-av.

FOR SALE—House and three lots in Louisa. Apply to NEWS office, tf.

A. J. Mounts has moved in from Blaine and is occupying his Lock-av property.

Down goes the price on Ladies and Children's hats. Only half price at Justice's store. 10-20-11

A little child of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Cartmel of Fullerton, W. Va., died last Friday.

FOR SALE—Furd car and new rug about buggy. Address Box 83 Fort Cat. West Va. It-pd.

BLANK DEEDS, MORTGAGES, OIL AND GAS LEASES FOR SALE AT THIS OFFICE.

More new Coats and Suits and one-piece dresses this week at Justice's store. 10-20-11

FOR SALE—One 1916 model Maxwell touring car in good condition. Apply at Louisa Garage.

REAL ESTATE—if you think of buying property in or near Ashland, write to L. M. CULLEY, Ashland, Ky.

A little son of Mr. and Mrs. Jay Stader is very sick at their home town; he suffered a stroke of paralysis a few days ago.

HOUSE FOR SALE—Framed dwelling in Louisa, 4 rooms, one large room on second story, parlor, large lot. Price \$1,000. Apply to this office. 12-11

Clarence Newson, 21, of Portersmouth, Ohio, and Miss Anna Vandora, 18, of this county, were married in Cynthiana.

SAMPLE SUIT AND CLOAK SALE. 25 sample Suits and Cloaks at E. E. SHANNON'S at less than wholesale prices. Call and see them.

Hats, Ladies and Misses, all the new styles for fall and winter, suits, coats and one piece dresses. A large line of shoes now on display at Justice's store evening.

PIE SOCIAL. There will be a pie social at the Dennis school house Saturday, November 4. Proceeds will go for the benefit of school. ANNA JORDAN, Teacher.

Mrs. H. C. Sammons has returned from a visit to her father, Mr. Silas Wooten in Carter-co., and her son Herbert Sammons and family in Keene, W. Va.

RESIDENCE FOR RENT—New brick residence in Louisa, comfortably furnished, seven rooms, all modern conveniences. Will rent for four to six months, perhaps longer. Apply to this office for further information. 12-11

Tom Hatcher, democratic candidate for County Court Clerk, in Pike county, Ky., was a prominent visitor here yesterday. He is well pleased with the political outlook in Pike-co., and is confident of a democratic landslide on November 6.—Williamson News.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS. I have sold my store at Torelight. All who owe accounts there will please call at the old stand and pay up. Do not delay, as I must get these matters closed. ANDY NEW, JR.

In climbing through a fence while hunting, H. H. Herrenkoh, 19, of Le-Sage, pulled the trigger of his gun accidentally and shot the toe of his right foot completely off. The foot was mangled so that part of it had to be amputated at a local hospital.

NOTICE TO ELECTION OFFICERS. Election officers are hereby notified to return to the County Clerk the seals used in their precincts at once, so they will be ready to send out to the officers as the November election. Do not neglect this. M. A. MAY, Co. Clerk.

Citizens of Louisa should give serious thought to the election of city officials. It is more important than most of us realize. There is a serious difference in the way your city can and may be governed. Select the men who will do best those you can trust to stand up against graft and prevent the city treasury from being looted by any corporation or individual.

LOST:—During fair in Women's Department one embroidered napkin to luncheon. Napkin was embroidered in colors and pinned on to one large piece with three other napkins. Please look and see if through mistake you got this napkin mixed with your articles. Return to PAIRLIE DAVIS and receive reward.

Mary Garden will appear in concert city auditorium, Huntington, W. Va., Monday, November 19, 1917. Tickets on sale with Mrs. Carrie Adams. St. Paul McClure has accepted a position with a hardware firm in Huntington, W. Va. His wife and children have taken rooms at the hotel Brunswick this city.

The question of a water works franchise is soon to come up in Louisa.

WEBBVILLE.

Death has visited our community and taken one of our best loved and oldest members, Mrs. Agnes Pennington. She was born April 8, 1828. She leaves five daughters, a number of grandchildren, great and great-grandchildren. The funeral was preached in the church of which she had been a member for many years by Bro. Berry. The floral offerings were beautiful.

Mrs. Wm. Watson is here from Ashland having come to be at her grandmother's funeral.

Mr. Clint Niekoll of Wheelersburg, Ohio, is visiting her sister, Mrs. C. L. Pennington.

G. W. Stewart is very ill at this writing.

Mrs. M. Walter and granddaughter have returned from Wilmore and Owingsville, where they spent two weeks.

Mrs. Dora Doty of Michigan is visiting her mother, Mrs. Woods and family.

R. J. Shepherd has gone to Canada to resume his duties in a munition factory.

BLAINE.

The National Food Conservation Campaign was conducted here last week under the auspices of the Blaine school. Notwithstanding the simplicity of the pledge, some we are sorry to say remained "shakers" but these are comparatively few. Nearly all responded and each one is trying to do his bit toward conserving the food supply.

G. N. Wellman and family spent the week end with relatives in Ashland.

Mrs. E. E. Wheeler of Overlea is visiting relatives here this week.

Mr. A. J. Mounts who has resided here for the past several years, has moved to Louisa. Mr. Mounts and family leave a host of friends here who wish them well wherever they may go.

Charles Osborn was calling on A. W. Osborn Sunday.

Jack McKinnon, the new blacksmith, has moved here from Flat Gap.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. James Sparks October 23 in boy.

Willie Koenig was in Ashland transacting business last week.

Louisa Jordan of Louisa, Ky., is the guest of W. M. Morris here.

Clyde Fraley, who had been in the coal fields for the past few months, has returned home.

Chili Osborn has moved to a farm on Little Laurel.

Len Hewlett and family were calling on relatives in Ashland last week.

Several cords of machinery passed here last week enroute to the new oil field on Newcomer.

Herzl ticks of Webbville was calling on relatives here last week.

MULLIGAN.

Sunday school at this place every Sunday morning at ten o'clock. Would like for every one that would to come out and help us in our school. Next Sunday is "Go to Sunday School Day" Do come and go.

The little son of Mr. and Mrs. Jay Frazier is seriously ill at this writing. Miss Esther Alley visited home full Saturday night and Sunday.

Davy Compton and Wade Muncy's smiling faces were seen again on Two Mile Sunday.

Virgil Rice, Ed Diamond and Wm. Hays have gone to Portersmouth, where they have employment.

Harvey Moore was the pleasant guest of Sophia Rice Sunday.

Bro. Cleveland has closed his meeting at this place on account of bad weather.

There will be a pie social at this place Saturday night November 3. Everybody cordially invited to come and bring some one with you.

TUSCOLA.

C. W. Rice and his estimable family have moved to Dennis where he is engaged in the mercantile business.

Some of enterprising and progressive farmers are still cutting corn.

German Kitchen of Cynthiana, passed through here Sunday with some fine cattle enroute to Sand Branch where he will have them wintered.

Dennie Coffey of Vessey was here Sunday to see his brother on business.

H. A. Jordan had business on the middle fork of Catt Saturday.

Sherman Mullins and mother of Cynthiana attended the funeral and burial of Wm. Mullins here Saturday.

With the eight year old son of Linda Mullins, died Friday morning of diphtheria. His father was at Cynthiana, and his mother thought that he had a little cold and sore throat, as he still played about the house, but the fact was made known on Thursday evening when Dr. Thompson was returning from Louisa, when Fred Thomas had him stop and see the boy.

Wat was an unusually bright boy and was a regular attendant at school and was a great favorite with the teacher and all the pupils. His ready wit and quick comprehension of ideas was absolute proof, that, if given a chance he would prove to the world that he could do things worth while.

The sad intelligence reached his father Friday at Cynthiana and his grief was almost too great to bear.

He grieved have our deepest sympathy.

Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Jordan were at Hitchins Sunday.

OLD LEM JUCKLENS.

PERSONAL MENTION

G. R. Burgess spent a few days in Cincinnati last week.

Hilbert Clarkson, of Hinsdale, was in Louisa Wednesday.

Mrs. Belle Preston of Georges Creek was in Louisa Monday.

Mrs. Hammie Ferrell Clarke was down from the farm Monday.

Chas. M. Crutcher of Huntington W. Va., was here this week.

Mr. A. M. Campbell was a business visitor here from Putnam, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Wellman returned Monday from New York.

Mrs. Jas. Hatcher was here from Amherstdale, W. Va., this week.

Dr. W. T. Atkinson, of Paintsville, was a visitor in Louisa Tuesday.

T. G. Parker, a prominent merchant of Pikeville, was in Louisa Wednesday.

Mrs. A. J. Garred has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Lynden Brode at Wayland.

Mrs. Wilson Evans and daughter, of Kermit were business visitors in Louisa this week.

Miss Virginia Hager was the Sunday guest of Miss Hattie Carter at Fullers station.

Mrs. G. C. Burgess, of Kine, was the guest of her brother, Mrs. L. T. McClure Tuesday.

Mrs. G. B. Skene of Cincinnati is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Bromley.

Russell Simmon has gone to Portsmouth, Ohio, where he has employment at the Solvay plant.

Vann Wellman and Arnold Bowe, of Madge, were in Louisa Saturday and called at the NEWS office.

Chas. Gaert of Hazelnut, is visiting Norman Reinhardt. His mother will return here soon for a visit.

John B. Horton has returned to Ft. Thomas after a visit to his mother, Mrs. Mary Burns Horton.

W. H. Sebastian of Ingles, W. Va., was a business visitor in Louisa Saturday and paid the NEWS office a call.

Mrs. Rebecca Frazier, of Ft. Gay and Mrs. Paul Frazier, of Paintsville, attended services in Louisa last Sunday.

Mrs. F. A. Millard and little daughter, Elizabeth Ann, have returned from a two weeks' visit with relatives in Frankfort.

Miss Estey Shannon of Gallipolis, was the guest of her sister, Mrs. Bascom Mooney, Friday, and paid the NEWS office a call.

Mr. C. F. Peters returned Sunday from a visit to his son, Roscoe Peters in Glenhaven, W. Va., his wife remaining for a longer visit.

Mr. Len H. Hutchinson of Huntington, W. Va., and Mrs. Geo. Mason, of Cynthiana were here Thursday to attend the funeral of their uncle, Mr. Jas. A. Alford.

A. C. Malatesta of Mt. Vernon New York, has been visiting relatives at Fallsburg. He was in Louisa Thursday and paid the NEWS office a call. He will return to New York early next week.

Mrs. Josephine Rice of Gassaway, W. Va.; John H. Abbott, Columbus, O.; Mr. and Mrs. Chas. V. Abbott and Mrs. Agnes Abbott, of Jenkins and Mr. C. J. Carey of Lexington, were called to Louisa by the illness of Mr. Jas. A. Abbott.

Mrs. Benton Reynolds returned Sunday to Gary, W. Va., after visiting relatives here. She was accompanied home by her daughter, Miss Gypsey Reynolds, who for some time had been at the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Reynolds.

NORIS. There will be a pie social at the Noris school house Saturday night, November 3. Everybody is cordially invited to attend.

Church at this place every first Saturday night and Sunday.

Sorry to hear of the death of Roy Childress.

Mr. and Mrs. Garfield Francis have returned to Marion, Ohio, after a long visit here.

Dock Fraley is a frequent visitor here.

C. T. Miller was a business visitor at Louisa Saturday.

Willie Hays was visiting his brother, Roy, Sunday last.

Lyles Thompson and Willie Estep left Monday for Columbus.

Eva Thompson and Audrey Granahan were shopping at Louisa Saturday.

Telia Stewart is visiting her sister, Mrs. W. H. Stepp at Nolans, W. Va.

John Ball passed down our creek Monday enroute to Louisa.

Candidates are all the go in our community.

Elizabeth McKinster and daughter were visiting on Meads Branch Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. U. S. Sammons passed up our creek Saturday enroute to Lredo.

Mrs. Lourena Thompson was visiting Mrs. Lindsey Thompson Sunday.

Mrs. Hezekiah Miller was calling on Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Thompson Sunday.

Mrs. Martha Moore was calling on Mrs. Thompson Sunday.

School is progressing nicely at this place. TWO CHRYSANTHEMUMS

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Your Special Opportunity to save money on Fall and Winter Goods is NOW, while they are coming in. We bought them before the last advance came on and will give you the benefit of the saving. This includes all kinds of piece goods from Calicoes to Fancy Silks, Serges and Fine Dress Goods, and many other style goods that space will not allow us to mention.

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HOME CIRCLE COLUMN

Two men were disputing over their respective churches. One was a Baptist and one was a Presbyterian. Finally one of them called a neighbor who was passing and asked his opinion as to which was the better church in which to be saved. "Well, neighbor," he said, "son and I have been hauling wheat nearly forty years. There are two roads that lead to the mill. One is the valley road and the other leads over the hill and never yet has the miller asked me which road I came, but he always asks, Is the wheat good?"

There is a good deal of undeserved censure passed on women on account of their not making home more attractive. Most of this blame is fairly chargeable on men. With what heart can a woman strive to make the fireside cheerful when she knows, from bitter experience, that the companion of her life will come home to criticize her cooking, to disregard her personal appearance, and to let off upon her wounded soul patient ear treacherous language on account of everything that has gone wrong out-of-doors? See to it that you do your part, Mr. Husband to make home happy by cheerful encouragement to your wife.

A bond of sympathy should, and in most instances does, connect mother and daughter. What is more natural than that a young girl should seek her mother's sympathy and advice when trouble comes. Mother's voice has been music to her ear since memory first dawned, her hand has rocked the cradle, rested upon her head as she slipped her first prayer, and smoothed her pillow during the weary hours of sickness. She can be trusted and into her ear is poured the secret that no one else may know. Whether it be an offer of marriage or an intimation of a broken vow, mother will know best how to advise.

Our home should be so filled with pleasant smiles, loving words and kind acts, that the moment a member enters it the sunshine of happiness will beam from every countenance and a thrill of joy fill every heart; in fact, the home should be to its members, the pleasantest spot on earth. If cross words must be spoken let them be directed to strangers or better, still go into the woods and direct them to the wild animals, but a still better way is to keep the mind so full of good thoughts, and the hands so busy in performing kind, Christian acts that there will be no room for cross words to mature, and no time or disposition to utter them.

We estimate a mother's importance in her family as high as any one can, and yet we do not believe she monopolizes all the qualities needed in the great work of training up human beings. Her familiarity with her children places her in some respects, at a disadvantage for the exercise of wholesome authority. The wise father will not indeed take the reins of the family government from his wife; but he will make his children feel and know that her gentle sway is sustained by a firm and steady hand; that behind their mother's tender heart stands a cool judgment and a will stronger over than their own, and that cannot impose upon the one or resist the other.

The truest, best and sweetest type of the girl of today does not come from the home of wealth, she steps out from the house where is comfort rather than luxury. She belongs to the great middle class—that class which has given us the best wifehood, which has given helpmates to the foremost men of our time; which teaches its daughters the true meaning of love, which touches the manners of love, which teaches the manners of the drawing room and the practical life of the kitchen as well as teaches its girls the responsibilities of wifehood and the greatness of motherhood.

Don't be a grumbler. Some people contrive to get hold of the prickly side of everything; to run up against the sharp corners, and find out all the disagreeable things. Half the strength spent in growling would often set things right.

The wean that saves up her household worries and her bodily pains and aches to entertain her husband with his return home, drives a sure nail in the coffin of conjugal happiness.

To us it is a beautiful sight to see an aged Christian mother, besiding in the sunset of life that has been truly lived. We visit her at her home. There she sits—the old Christian mother ripe for heaven. Her eyesight is almost gone; but the splendors of the Celestial City kindle up her vision. The gay light of heaven's morn has struck through the gray locks which are folded back over the wrinkled temples. She stoops very much now under the burden of care she used to carry for her children. She sits at home today, too old to find her way to the house of God; but while she sits there, all the just comes back to her and the children that forty years ago trooped around her arm chair with their little griefs and joys and sorrows—those children are all gone now. Some caught up into the better realm, where they shall never die, and others out in the broad world, attesting the excellency of a Christian mother's doctrine.

There should be no day in our lives that did not record some act of kindness, some help held out to the needy. One self-denying act or some kind word or a pleasant glance, has fallen like sun-shine or caused an aching heart. There is no act intended to help another, too small for the Master's notice. It is the conscious attention to what the world calls little things that makes the great beauty and success in life.

A touch of the hand, a look of love, a kindly deed, a sympathetic smile are the meedles for a broken heart.

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JOFFRE PRAISES OUR SOLDIERS

Marshal of France With General Pershing Inspects American Forces.

CALL HERO OF MARNE 'PAPA'

United States Soldiers Wild With Enthusiasm as French Idol Visits Training Camp—Pleased With What He Sees.

American Field Headquarters, France.—After a two days' visit with the American troops Marshal Joffre departed for home, his popularity enlarged by a good many American sons. "Papa" Joffre is not only "papa" to the millions now, but the American soldiers claim him too.

The white-haired savior of the Marne was tumultuously, excitedly greeted by the American soldiers everywhere.

Accompanied by General Pershing, Joffre swept through all the American camps—and left the zone in state of almost frenzied excitement and enthusiasm.

Stands With Pershing.

Thousands of Americans glimpsed the white-haired French idol for the first time when they were passing in review before him. They gazed steadily, in response to the ringing command, "Eyes left," upon a stout figure in red breeches standing by Pershing's side.

Beginning at ten o'clock in the morning, Pershing showed off his first contingent. Thousands of weather-beaten, perfectly conditioned American fighters, their ranks interspersed with flags and bands, swept in waves across the muddy battlefield and dropped below the hill crest. A moment later they reappeared momentarily in the valley beyond where their mud-colored ranks merged into the autumn haze until perfectly blended and lost sight of.

The review was a thrilling panorama of bolding, undulating rows of steel helmets as far as the eye could reach.

When the men had all passed by Marshal Joffre made a brief address to the officers.

After considering the various acts of Germany, the marshal said, America drew the sword and no one in France doubted she would do great things. He referred to the great power of America in men, resourcefulness and natural wealth and continued:

"In every way you have realized our hopes. The best proof of your earnestness, your determination to help win this war against autocracy may be read in your eyes as I look into them. Under the direction of General Pershing you are getting ready to face the enemy. Guided by that emblem of strength, the sword with which your great new armies are being perfected, you will move forward to gather the laurels and glory that lie before you.

Building Great War Machine.
"All the news I have from America is to the effect that there, as well as here, you are working in the same intense manner. Guided by such men as General Pershing, your secretary of war, Mr. Baker, and your chief of staff, General Bliss, you are rapidly going ahead, and I am confident our enemy will see before him one of the most formidable war machines which could ever be imagined.

"Our enemy believed in his foolish pride that he could dominate the universe. Your reply to him has already been most eloquent—more eloquent than he ever dreamed. You have come here to join the allies in delivering humanity from the world-beat yoke of German intolerance. Let us continue to be united and victory surely will be ours."

Joffre and Pershing, with General Silbert, Bundy and other generals, then entered automobiles, and were whisked away for miles through a score of hamlets where women, children and old men thronged the roadsides to cheer the miracle men of 1914 and the great soldiers of the United States, their newest allies.

NAVY COOKS WILL BE TAUGHT IN BIG HOTELS

New York.—One thousand enlisted men from the navy soon will be cooking meals for guests of New York's big hotels. Hotel managers decided at a meeting of the Hotel Association of New York city to meet the shortage of cooks in the navy and transport service by turning the kitchens of this city's hospitals into training schools.

Oscar Tschirky of the Waldorf, promised to ten uniformed men in his kitchen to teach the art of serving meals. Sailors in lots of ten or more will be set to work as soon as possible in the kitchens of the city's hospitals into training schools.

There should be no day in our lives that did not record some act of kindness, some help held out to the needy. One self-denying act or some kind word or a pleasant glance, has fallen like sun-shine or caused an aching heart. There is no act intended to help another, too small for the Master's notice. It is the conscious attention to what the world calls little things that makes the great beauty and success in life.

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Sixteen-Foot Corn Stalk.
Columbus, Ind.—Charles Bowers, a farmer living near this city, has a corn stalk that measures 16 feet 1 inch from the ground to the top. The stalk is more than 5 inches in circumference. It has two ears of corn, each of which measures 13 1/2 inches in length.

GREEK TO FILL "SHOES" OF TURK

Prof. Andreade, Athens, Says Countrymen Cover Region Down to Dardanelles.

WOULD BE BAR TO GERMANS

Hellenic Preponderance in Constantinople and Adrianople Basis for Claim—Principle of Nationality Hitherto Ignored.

Athens.—If the Turk is to leave Europe, as the entente allies have required in their war terms, then there is a well defined belief in the Balkans that two results will occur of high importance to Greece and all Europe:

1. That the Greek inevitably will succeed the Turk throughout Thrace and in the whole region down to the Dardanelles and the Bosphorus.

2. That a new zone of territory friendly to the entente will be stretched horizontally straight across the Balkans as a barrier to the German dream of making the Balkans a German high road to the Orient.

Professor Andreade of the University of Athens, one of the foremost authorities on international affairs relating to the Balkans, holds this view, and in the course of a talk he explained how these two results would naturally come about in the final peace adjustment, by reason of the principle of nationalities now accepted by the entente allies as a basis for territorial readjustment.

Pointed to Greek Predominance.
Professor Andreade, who is a specialist on the extent of Greek citizenship beyond the Greek frontiers—in Macedonia and the other Balkans, in Turkey, Syria and Asia Minor—pointed out the great predominance of the Greeks in the regions to be evacuated by the Turks if they are to leave Europe.

The whole vilayet, or province of Adrianople, extending from the Balkans down to Constantinople, he declared, is as much Greek as it is Turk and with the Turks out it is practically all Greek. "Even Constantinople," he said, "is a Greek city—the largest of Greek cities—with a population of 350,000 Greeks. That gives an idea of the extent of Greek citizenship in all this section down to the straits, which will have to be considered, on the basis of nationality and race, when the Turk leaves Europe.

"That is why I say," added Professor Andreade, "that if the Turk is to withdraw, the principle of nationality, which recognizes the racial condition of a community, will lead to the recognition of Greek paramount influence in that section. Thus far, the principle of nationality has been ignored and violated in all Balkan settlements, and force has prevailed. Austria and Bulgaria have not occupied any of the territory annexed in recent years by reason that their race or nationality prevailed in these sections, but solely by reason of their military force. That has been the cause of the endless wars in the Balkans, for people are never satisfied when their race is ignored and they are attached to a foreign conqueror by force."

Two Barriers to Germany.
Professor Andreade, referring to the Balkan map, showed how the readjustment of Balkan boundaries, based on nationalities, would interpose two barriers to Germanic expansion toward Asia Minor and the Orient—one, the Greek zone across Thrace, and another, the Serb-Roumanian link of territory which lies as a dam between Hungary and Bulgaria. This Serb-Roumanian link is only fifty miles across, but with Roumania getting the Danubian region, to which Professor Andreade says she is entitled by the principle of nationality, this entente link will be 150 miles across.

"And thus entente Europe can accomplish what it chiefly seeks in the Balkans," said Professor Andreade, "friendly entente zones intercepting the natural route of Germanic expansion toward the Orient, and this can be accomplished, not by force, but by the principle of nationality now accepted by the entente powers."

SOLDIERS PRINT OWN NEWS

Pershing's Men Have Their Own Press Humming Away on the French Front.

Paris.—The rumble of the press is added to the various noises surrounding the American army headquarters in Paris. Soldiers' reading matter is printed on the premises. Soldiers, who in civilian life used to know the printshop, are printing pamphlets and other army literature for the fighters. A fully equipped printing office with a flat bed press is doing the work. The first type "set up" told Pershing's men in training how to throw bombs and how to handle them without accident. Army orders and the "latest" front news will follow.

Feeds Robin From His Hand.
Milton, Ind.—Levi Crull, who lives near Itasca, pinned a box near the eave trough of his house and a robin built its nest in the box. Mr. Crull climbs a stepladder and feeds the mother bird, now taking care of her brood of young birds. He gathers worms and the robin eats them from his hand. She does not appear to have any fear of him.

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They are so dear to us,
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God KEEP our own dear men,
From every stain of sin,
God KEEP our men
When Satan would allure,
When tempted KEEP them pure,
Be their protection sure—
God KEEP our men.

God HOLD our precious men,
And love them to the end,
God HOLD our men
Hold in thine arms so strong
To thee they all belong,
Hold safe from every wrong,
God HOLD our men.

God save our horses too,
Our girls so brave and true
God save our girls.
God keep them day and night
Make them angels of light
In thickest of the fight,
God BLESS our girls.

"My faith looks up to Thee
Thou Lamb of Calvary,
Jesus, divine
Now hear me while I pray
Take all my guilt away,
And let me from this day
Be wholly Thine."

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LETTER FROM THE WEST.

Morton, Wash., Oct. 7, 1917.
Editor Big Sandy News:—We have a paper just from your press and in looking over it I find a letter from one of Kentucky's soldier boys. I am proud to know that the Kentucky boys are in the service of our good old U. S. A. Our Washington boys have answered the call until the camp at American Lake is crowded with the boys, not only from Washington, but other states also.

Uncle Dick Smith and Cora Dinkus were married last Wednesday. The good news was received with a surprise to the people here. A. J. Mounts, who has been an able citizen with us for the past few years, we are sorry to say, is moving to Louisville. Mr. Mounts and the entire family will be missed by all who know them. We wish them well wherever they may be.

Beth Gibson of Jackson, O., is visiting here this week.

Meela Moore and Stella Carter were the guests of Myrtle Pack Sunday.

Leona Jordan of Louisville, Ky., is visiting W. M. Morris this week.

Hazel Hicks of Webbville was visiting Mrs. W. M. Walter Sunday.

Dave Thompson, the republican nominee for county attorney, was calling on the voters here this week.

G. N. Wallman and family were calling on Len Hewitt Sunday.

J. T. Sutman is attending circuit court in Louisville this week. **SILAS.**

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Get a 10-cent box.
Take a Cascaret tonight to cleanse your Liver, Stomach and Bowels, and you will surely feel great by morning. You men and women who have headache, coated tongue, a bad cold, are bilious, nervous, upset, bothered with a sick, gassy, disordered stomach, or have backache and feel not well out. Arn you keeping your bowels clean with Cascarets—or merely forcing a purgative every few days with salts, cathartics or enema oil?

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COURT OF APPEALS.

Cascarets vs. Hall, Pike; affirmed.

Long vs. Commonwealth, Breathitt; affirmed.

G. & O. Ry. vs. Hogg, Lawrence; affirmed.

Hall vs. Hall, Letcher; affirmed.

Stratton vs. Syke, Pike; affirmed.

motion for additional time to file appeal for rehearing is sustained.

What We are Fighting Against

(By Newell Dwight Hillis)

German efficiency was chiefly manifested in their plan of frightfulness and terrorism. Nineteen centuries of Christian morals had developed conscience in Martin Luther's descendants and instilled certain moral principles in the minds of young men. But the conquest of Belgium, France, England and Russia, was not possible with soldiers who were embarrassed by remorse or the Ten Commandments. Conquering Belgium and France meant the breaking down of the intellect and the will until the people were cowed.

In his war manual given to every German soldier, General von Hindenburg, the author, distinctly says the soldier must stamp out all humanitarianism from his own heart and that considerations of pity for human life or property must be wholly eradicated from the soldier's mind. The great problem, therefore, was how to release the soldier from any honding to conscience, from any former letter the Ten Commandments and from any fear of future punishment in connection with God and the Day of Judgment.

Finally the Kaiser and his war staff thought of "the German token." This is of aluminum, about the size of a silver dollar. At the top is a portrait of the Knave of God—a monstrous being holding a sword in his right hand. Below are the words:

"Strike him dead."

The day of judgment will ask you no questions.

The day of judgment will believe that if any timid German shrink back from crime, this would encourage him to every form of excess.

In advance, for months, the German officers drilled the words on this token into the minds of the private soldiers. If the German boy said "Jesus teaches Woe unto him who offends one of my little ones" it were better for him if a millstone were hunged about his neck and he were drowned in the bottom of the sea; "by this token the Kaiser answers: "The Day of Judgment will ask you no questions." The token also explains the Kaiser's charge to his soldiers, starting to China: You will take no prisoners. You will give no quarter. It is this that explains the devasted regions of Belgium, western and eastern France.

In the face of all their treaons with France, Great Britain, and the United States, the Germans took this soldier's token as their example and guide. From the moment they crossed the Belgian and the French line the German advance became an orgy of crime, arson and lust. Neither the ancien Inquisition nor the Spanish Inquisition, nor the Sioux Indians with their scalping knives ever were guilty of such atrocities! This is evidenced by the inquests held after the various German retreats by properly constituted legal commissions, taking testimony, photographing the bodies and preserving the affidavits.

As one out of thousands, I mention affidavits by twenty-five witnesses establishing one atrocity—namely, eight drunken German soldiers marched out of a village they had ruined carrying a naked lady skewered on a bayonet with all the soldiers singing drunken songs as they marched. The mere catalog of their crimes fills the heart with anguish. A young nun crucified upon a door—Captain Fallon and his Australian associates making the affidavits thereof. Girls violated and mutilated Old men and women murdered in ways that only devils could conceive. This token explains the diary of a German soldier taken from his dead body. "Burned Blarre today. We killed all the inhabitants. We live gorgeously. Three bottles of champagne at each meal. Plenty of girls, too. It is a great sport." Our American boys are going out to war against a mad dog, let loose in the world's schoolroom.

Jesus made his choice between His convictions and physical death. Mankind survived His crucifixion, but the race could not have survived a big moral compromise to save His life. To day mankind can survive the loss of this generation of boys. American, French and British, but one thing society cannot survive, namely, a compromise with German lawlessness, German cruelty and German crime.

Today in many cities and continents men are wondering how the German spies and secret agents manage to keep proposals for peace in the newspapers at public meetings and before the people. Short of ammunition or short of food, alarmed by the breaking of the moral of her soldiers, the German war party begins to fear a revolt against its leadership. In the hope of saving her plunder Germany is now using every conceivable influence to force a peace proposition upon the Allies.

During the first three years, each week brought its own revelation of German preparation for war, through the sinking of hospital ships, the looting of cities, the murder of all the inhabitants of villages, the treachery by her ambassadors of every great capital. Having ended the war epoch, Germany is now preparing for peace, and once more she is using gold, bribes, lies and treachery to gain the desired end.

We have the news from Rome of a public official who has fled, having been a secret agent of Germany, spending millions in bribing men of influence. Then came the shock incident to the revelations of Bolo Pasha, with the fifty millions sent to this country for seducing Americans from their loyalty. And now a shock is due to the discovery that last November Pro-Germans began to join all the American peace societies, to control the nominations and the officers to be elected for January.

A full exposé of these machinations would make one of the most startling, dramatic and veiled of all the subtle and seductive schemes for peace conceived by diplomatic tricksters. As never before, Satan is now transformed into an angel of light, that the soul of man may be betrayed and debauched. For thoughtful men who have weighed the issues there is something startling about the enormous gains Germany would make by securing an immediate peace.

Germany has missed the goal she desired, namely, the conquest of a kingdom from Hamburg on the North Sea to the Persian Gulf and two hundred and fifty millions of people. By withdrawing from Belgium and France and then closing the incident, Germany

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FOR COUNTY OFFICES.

For County Judge R. A. Stone is the Democratic nominee. He promises to do good work on the county roads, a thing badly needed in Lawrence co.

Castie for County Attorney has the necessary experience and is noted for his energy.

Vote for Horace Thompson for County Court Clerk. He has the unqualified endorsement of all who know him.

Wm. Taylor, for sheriff, is the man this county wants and needs for the job. He will be a credit to the position and a satisfactory servant of the people.

While J. C. Short is crippled in the right arm, his legs are all right and that is one reason he is running so well for jailor. There are other good reasons.

Roland Hutchison for Assessor, is one of the best men who ever ran for any office.

WILBUR.

Dewey Travis was thrown from a young mule Sunday evening hurting his left arm and shoulder. We are hoping he will soon recover.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Estep, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Johnson, Mr. Kny and Claud Estep were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Cleveland Hays Sunday.

Mrs. Lola and Carrie Travis attended church at Mount Olive Sunday. Joie Hays spent Sunday with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Milton Hays.

Mrs. Carrie Borders of this place attended the quarterly meeting at Ulysses Saturday and Sunday and reported a nice time.

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DIES AT HER HOME AT CYCLONE.

Mrs. Elizabeth Hinckman, widow of the late Dow Hinckman, passed away at her home at Cyclone Friday morning of last week. Mrs. Hinckman was 76 years of age and a pioneer citizen of Logan county. At the time of her death Mrs. Hinckman was postmistress at Cyclone, a position she had held for nearly forty years, or ever since the office was established there. Death was due to pneumonia.

Burial services were held Saturday afternoon and were largely attended.

Mrs. Hinckman is survived by one son, Walter Hinckman, and three daughters, Mrs. J. M. Claypool, Mrs. Baldwin and Miss Rose Hinckman, all of Logan county.—Logan Democrat.

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